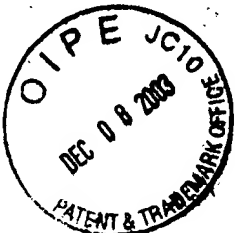


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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) | | Docket Number (Optional) 29195-8115US | |
|  | In re Application of Daniel Woodruff | | |
| | Application Number 09/782,216 | | Filed 02/13/2001 |
| | For PROCESSING APPARATUS INCLUDING A REACTOR FOR ELECTROCHEMICALLY ETCHING A MICROELECTRONIC WORKPIECE | | |
| | Group Art Unit 1753 | | Examiner Brian L. Mutschler |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$ 110 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$ 420 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ 950 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$ 1,480 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$ 2,010 |

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ ____.

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-0665.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor 12/11/2003 MMEKONEN 00000048 09782216

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. 01 FC:1251 110.00 OP

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

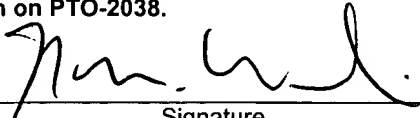
☒ attorney or agent of record. Registration number 42,216.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a): ____.

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Date

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 John M. Wechkin
 Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☒ Total of 1 forms is submitted.